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| For: | RETRACT METHOD TO REDUCE HEAD FRICTION WITH THE DISK FOR A HARD DISK DRIVE | | |

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115**

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Tammie Chambers

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2005 in connection with the above identified application, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.